समुचित संशोधनों के माध्यम से उपचारी उपाय करती है ।

(ख) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

(ग) जी नहीं ।

(घ) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

Timely deposit *of* Provident Fund Amount

3350. SHRI IQBAL SINGH :

SHRI SURESH PACHOURI :

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state;

(a) what is the number of establishments in the country which have so far been brought within in the fold of the Employees Provident Fund Scheme and how many employees have been covered by the Scheme, State-wise;

(b) whether it is a fact that a large number of establishment do not deposit the amount deducted from the salaries of employees in the fund in time and remain in arrears;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) what action Government proposes to take to ensure timely deposit of Provident fund amounts by the establishments ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. ' SANGMA) : (a) A statement showing the available information is annexed (See below).

(b) and (c) Out of 2,09,176 establishments, 10,024 establishments have defaulted in payment of the PF contribution.

Information in respect of the establishments defualting only in payment of provident fund amount deducted from the salaries of the employees is not maintained separately.

(d) Necessary legal/and penal action is initiated against the defaulting establiih-ments to recover the outstanding dues.

Statement

Name of the State/Region	No. of establishments (unexempted)	No. of Subscribers (unexempted establishments)
Andhra Pradesh	19524	917036
Bihar	5812	323369
Delhi	13419	408370
Gujarat	21422	704561
Haryana	6392	336426
Karnataka	13848	853972
Kerala	7951	749648
Madhya Pradesh	7308	551124
Maharashtra & Goa	27041	1920572
N. L. Region*	2166	137837
Orissa	4573	3849776
Punjab	9838	613580
Rajasthan	6056	365412
Tamil Nadu	23916	1820727
Uttar Pradesh	15692	879498
West Bengal	23218	1111302
Total :	209176	12078410

inciuding Assam Nagaland Meghalaya, Tripura, Mizoram; Arunachal Pradesh